

**Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement**

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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****MAY 21 2007****REMARKS**

The following remarks are made in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 19, 2007. Claims 24-35 were withdrawn from consideration. With this Response, claims 24-35 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claims 1-23 and 36-44 have been allowed. Allowed claims 1-23 and 36-44 remain pending in the application and are presented for formal allowance.

**Allowable Subject Matter**

Claims 1-23 and 36-44 are allowed.

**CONCLUSION**

Having cancelled the withdrawn claims, Applicant respectfully request that a Notice of Allowance be issued for pending allowed claims 1-23 and 36-44.

No fees are required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16(h)(i). However, if such fees are required, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

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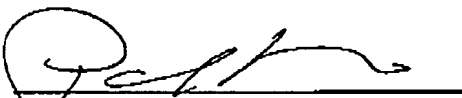
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